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Ms. Anne Munoz-Furlong
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Dear Ms. Munoz-Furlong:

Thank you for your letters dated August 14, and August 18, 2000, regarding your comments on the Attorneys General's citizen petition submitted to FDA concerning allergens, and your suggestions for allergen food labeling improvements, respectively. I appreciate your insight and thoughtful comments. Your letters have been forwarded to the appropriate docket and I promise you that we will include your concerns when we address allergen labeling and the citizen petition in the future.

Again, thank you for your comments.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Levitt
Director
Center for Food Safety
and Applied Nutrition

P.S. I enjoyed our meeting and look
forward to ~~meeting~~^{working} with you.

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